August I me Govern^r Livingston has three Times refused letting her go in without a Pass from the Governour of the State she came from. Some of her Effects are left behind with me to send up by first safe Conveyance, from this you'll perceive that she has left this State and I believe without any Expectation of Returning to reside here again, and as she is now, I presume, become a Residenta of the Jerseys Y^e Gov^r of th^t State, were he so acquainted, might wth more Propriety take her Case under Consideration.

However If y^r Excell^y & Hon^{rs} could be of any Service to her, you'd greatly oblige her, I would take Care to contrive her whatever should be transmitted to me from y^r Honors.

August 1 [Philip Casson, Caroline County, to the Governor and Council.]

Mr William Douglass being in a bad State of Health, refused to act under the Act to procure a sufficient number of Horses for Light Horses and for carriage &c whereupon the Lieutenant appointed me for that Purpose; In consequence whereof, I have taken into my possession, eight Horses from Nonjurors, mostly fit for Draught Horses, the Light Troop now raising in this County having procured nearly all the Horses fit for Light Horses, therefore am doubtfull of Gitting any really fit for that service the remaining 5 I hope to get in a few days—the Horses I have taken are but thin and will not be fit for service unless fed well some time, which I shall take care to have done

August 1

[Rich'd Dallam Abingdon, to Gov. Lee.]

I expect a Number of Substitutes for the Draughts of the Militia of this County will be brought in within in a few days—And as meat provisions are very hard to be obtained I shall be glad to Secure orders where I am [to] order them or what Officers will be order^d to receive them.

We have two Companies of Select Militia for this County a return of these Officers shall be sent Your Excellency as soon as they come to hand, I shall be in want of knapsacks & Canteens to Euip them shall be oblige if your Excellency will Please to inform me where they are to be obtained

The Collector of Horses for this County has got sufficient to make up two Teems & at present I am much in want to Cart the public flour & therefore should be glad of an order to him to deliver them to me & Liberty to engage Waggoners to drive them from the Draughts of the militia of this County

August 1 ["Indorsed Rejeck'd by Go & Council"]

[Thos. Duffy, Ann's To his Excellency the Governor and the honble the Council of the State of Maryland]

Your petitioner a subject of the State of Pennsylvania sometime in the month of January last was unhappily cast away; by which